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Title : **N-ARYL PIPERIDINE SUBSTITUTED BIPHENYLCARBOXAMIDES  
AS INHIBITORS OF APOLIPOPROTEIN B**

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**Response to Office Action**

Dear Sir:

In response to the Office Action mailed December 7, 2009, please consider the above-identified application in view of the following.

**Listing of the Claims** are reflected in the listing of claims which begins on page 2 of this paper.

**Remarks/Arguments** begin on page 5 of this paper.